

DELEGATES WELCOMED

Republicans Arrive on Australia.

GREETED AT THE WHARF

Bring News of McKinley's Intentions to Visit Hawaii When Cable is Laid.

Honolulu awoke bright and early yesterday morning to hasten to the water-front and receive the old reliable Australia from San Francisco bearing aboard the delegation of the Republicans of the Hawaiian Territory who attended the national convention.

The usual sounding of the warning whistle was the signal for everybody to rush to the Oceanic wharf. At 7 o'clock a great crowd had assembled there, enthusiastic, excited and glad to see the Australia once again and the many familiar faces which peered from her decks as the old boat pulled alongside the wharf.

The full delegation of Hawaii's Republicans returned. Alternate C. B. Wilson accompanied them, as did also National Committeeman H. M. Sewall. The other democratic delegates to Kansas City came back to Hawaii not on the Australia, too. Larsen's launch was used by the Republican reception committee to meet the steaming steamer. They had armed themselves well with leis and near speeches of welcome home, and passed both over the side, and immediately after the doctor had passed the ship, scrambled aboard to grasp the hands of the returned ones, which them on the back and are a string of questions at them concerning the many things which interest Honolulu so deeply.

"Prince" David and National Committeeman W. H. Cornwell of the Democrats were happy to once more behold the hills of Oahu and the beautiful harbor of Honolulu. The greater portion of Berger's immortal band was on hand and did itself proud turning out patriotic airs and tunes of welcome and aloha. The wharf was profusely decorated with American and Hawaiian flags and the McKinley and Roosevelt banner showed up to good advantage and was the first thing that the returning delegates cast their eyes upon.

After the gangway had been run aboard, the Republicans, with United States Circuit and District Judge M. M. Estee and United States District Attorney Baird, were conducted to carriages and driven to the Hawaiian Hotel.

The hotel was tastefully and appropriately decorated for the occasion. Mayor Allen had seen to it that Old Glory was well to the fore and that the Hawaiian colors joined with the Stars and Stripes in making a beautiful display. A brief rest was indulged in on the veranda of the hotel before the delegates adjourned to the hotel where Col. J. H. Boyd proposed to health of the delegates and President McKinley, the national leader. Col. Parker's response was brief. "We have a great deal to talk about, but we'll save it all until Saturday night. We enjoyed our trip and it was a good one in every way. We are exceedingly glad to get home, Aloha, Aloha."

H. M. Sewall's reply to a toast was, in brief, to the following effect: "The Republican party has in those delegates three men of whom it has reason to be proud. They have been enthusiastically received all along the Republican line and they have upheld the honor of Hawaii with dignity and care. In the convention and during the call upon the President, our delegates made a lasting impression that has raised Hawaii's standard higher than ever. I repeat, Hawaii has reason to be proud of the record made by the representative Hawaiians whom the Republicans sent to Philadelphia." President McKinley made the delegates happy by the cordial reception which he extended to them. He said that he was desirous of seeing Hawaiians in office and of having their claims recognized, and that should a cable be laid by that time, he would most certainly come to Hawaii next year. The delegates went as far east as New York.

SHARPENERS GETTING READY.

Nearly Two Hundred Masons To Come To Honolulu.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 26.—The Shriners excursion to the Hawaiian Islands, in October, under the auspices of Islam Temple, A. A. O. O. T. M. S., is quickening the nobles compelling the membership into wonderful activity. The committee in charge are kept busy answering letters and telegrams from the interested and inquiring from the resident members. There have been various rumors circulated relative to the Zealandia, the steamer of the Oceanic Steamship Company, chartered for the excursion, one being to the effect that the vessel would be used as a transport and that the needs of the United States Government for ships would necessitate the abandonment of the excursion. The company has given the assurance to R. P. Hurlbut, potentate of Islam Temple, that the Zealandia will take the Shriners to the islands, agreeable to the terms of the contract, which is now a matter of fact.

The excursion steamer is to be completely overhauled, painted, refurnished and refitted interiorly and be put in perfect condition for the trip, so that the most faultless excursionist will have comfort assured.

The general committee having charge of the event, in order to avoid crowding has limited the sale of tickets on the Zealandia to 30, which range in price from \$20 to \$100 according to location on the vessel. The indications are that there will be a greater number of applications for tickets than the number of places available. The demand, 120 applications having been made, and arrangements have been made by which excursionists who desire to go on a Shriners trip on the steamer Zealandia will sail before the Zealandia starts and by which those holding such tickets will have the right at any time in thirty days after the Zealandia starts to return to this city to come home on any of the regular steamers of the line. The assembly hall on the excursion steamer is to be enlarged so that it will have a depth of seventy feet. In this given a series of dramatic and musical events and Bennett's orchestra will furnish the music.

At Hilo and Honolulu the entertainment will be on those princely lines for which the Shriners are noted and will constitute a round of unalloyed delight. Various bands in the group will be visited and whenever the United States flag floats it will be saluted. The islanders, whether

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The other members of the party accompanying Judge Estee and Col. Baird were Mrs. Estee, Miss Ryan, Judge Estee's private secretary; W. B. Mallory, clerk of the Federal Courts; B. K. Baird, son of Col. Baird, who will be the Colonel's secretary; and C. F. Reynolds, official stenographer of the Federal Courts.

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THE SPORTING NEWS

The Healanis showed up in force at their boat house last evening. They had a crew out in the barge and two men, coached by Klebahn, were in the practice boat.

The Myrtle's Junior aggregation put in some good work in the harbor yesterday afternoon.

The match next Saturday between Bones, Mongoose, Lustre and the Stockyards' pacer has quite a sporting aspect. The distance is a mile. Bones, owned by Samuel Decker, and Mongoose, owned by Jimmy Hewson, go for a purse of \$100 to the winner, wherever they finish. By agreement, the last two to finish provide a champagne dinner to the other two. The race is set for 2:30 p. m. Mr. Digs will drive the Stockyards' horse.

An investigation of the Brock-Manuelli race was held yesterday afternoon in a downtown resort, most of the officials concerned being present. After minutely going over the circumstances of the alleged foul, and hearing all obtainable evidence, the judges, Messrs. Clunay, Judd and Campbell, adjourned till this morning, when they will render their decision.

SOLD MUCH STOCK.

E. B. McClanahan Disposed of Many Shares of Wahiawa.

E. B. McClanahan succeeded in disposing of \$2,500,000 worth of the stock of the Wahiawa Sugar Company during his recent trip to San Francisco, from which he returned yesterday. A number of San Francisco capitalists were interested in the enterprise and there is but little doubt now that the plantation will be a go.

Mr. McClanahan states that an expert engineer will come to Honolulu shortly to examine and report on the property. In all likelihood Mr. Schussler, the engineer of the Spring Valley Water Company, will be the man sent to make the examination, and he will be assisted by Mr. O'Shaughnessy, who is now in the Islands.

Wahiawa is located at Waiakala, and was organized by J. Emmeluth, Dr. Nichols and other Honoluluans, but in order to successfully float it it was found necessary to secure additional capital. For this purpose Mr. McClanahan was sent to the Coast and his trip resulted most favorably for the plantation.

Whale Wrecks Boat.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 22.—A monster whale struck the pilot boat Bonita head on at 9:40 o'clock Friday night six miles southeast of the Farallon Islands, causing the vessel to leak so badly that she sank six hours later. It was a thrilling experience for the pilots and men on the Bonita. They were thrown down with considerable violence, and the man at the wheel was so badly scared, according to one of the pilots, that he could not speak for five minutes. Pilots Swanson, Scott, Wallace and Miller were on the Bonita at the time, all but Miller in the cabin, and on deck were pilot Miller and the five sailors.

The school of whales was first noticed by the pilots on the Bonita when they were moving down toward the German bark J. C. Pfluger, which Pilot E. M. Freeman was to board. There were at least forty of the big fellows, and all seemed to be wild, and were

splashing around in the water at a great rate.

After Freeman had boarded the bark the boat again got in the school of whales, and it was then that the disastrous blow from one of the mammals was struck. The men were below deck, just beginning to retire, when they heard a terrific noise, as though the whole port side of the boat had been torn away, and it was only a moment before all were on deck. Even before they reached the deck they were satisfied among themselves that one of the whales had done the business. Though willing to save the pretty little boat if possible, it was soon seen that the leak was a fatal one, and that there was nothing to do but to take to the yaws. After watching the Bonita disappear up to the tops of her masts the pilots and men rowed to the Gracie S, which was cruising at a distance of at least six miles from the point where the Bonita was when she sank.

Kamasinas Return.

Otto Isenberg and his wife and family were among the passengers on the Australia. Mr. Isenberg went to Germany some time ago for treatment for an injured leg. He visited some of the best known specialists on the European continent and has returned much improved in health. Mr. Isenberg is the manager of the Kekaha mill on Kauai, and he and his family will receive a warm welcome on their return to the Garden Isle. They were welcomed by a crowd of relatives and friends at the wharf yesterday. While in the city they will be the guests of Mrs. James Campbell.

Anglican Church.

A meeting will be held in the school room of St. Andrew's Cathedral on Thursday at 8 p. m. at which addresses will be given on "The Work of the Anglican Church in China." The speakers will be the Rev. Hamilton Lee, Rev. Kong Yin Tet, Rev. William Ault, Rev. V. H. Kiteat and others. In view of the recent events that have taken place in China and of the many ties that link the work in these Islands to the labors of the church there, it is felt that the subject will be one of deep interest to the members of the church.

H. M. Sewall Returns.

Harold M. Sewall, National Republican Committeeman for Hawaii, returned on the Australia, accompanied by his brother Oscar T. Sewall. Mr. Sewall will remain in Honolulu but a few weeks, and will return to the States to take the stump for McKinley and Roosevelt in the fall. While in the Islands he will transact some personal business. He is staying at the Hawaiian hotel, where he held quite a levee yesterday many friends coming to pay their congratulations to him.

Twenty-Fifth Year.

The Annual Review of the Daily Commercial News and Shipping List, Commercial Publishing Company, San Francisco, has been received. It is a most valuable reference and an artistically gotten up affair that is indispensable to the complete newspaper library. This marks the twenty-fifth year of the publication, whose daily sheet is ever replete with reliable and

exhaustive information in the world of commerce.

GOOD MEDICINE FOR CHILDREN.

"Through the months of June and July our baby was teething and took a running off of the bowels and sickness of the stomach," says O. P. M. Holliday, of Deming, Ind. "His bowels would move from five to eight times a day. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house and gave him four drops in a teaspoonful of water, and he got better at once." Sold by Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd., wholesale agents.

Purser McComb gives the following report of the Australia: "Left San Francisco July 25, 1900, at 2 p. m., with 67 cabin and 68 steerage passengers, as well as 96 packages of mail. Experienced moderate to light breeze, smooth sea and fine weather all the way. Time, 6 days and 16 hours."

Corporal E. Mabey, of the 2d Somerset Regiment, was wounded at Colono. He had a bullet in each arm, two bullets in his head, another through one of his thumbs, and a sixth one in his leg. He lay four weeks in the hospital at Mool River, but is now quite well again and on his way to the front.

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